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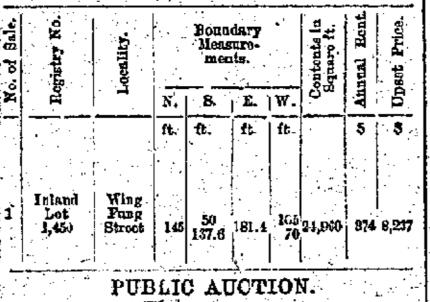
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J. H. STEWART LOCKHART, Colonial Secretary. Colonial Secretary's Office, Hongkong, 25th September, 1897. [2290]

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Hongkong, October 6th, 1897.

THE recrudescence of the plague in the Bombay Presidency has induced the Bengal Chamber of Commerce to address the Government on the necessity of taking every possible precaution with a view to keep the in Hankow, where a few days ago a most inscourge out of Bengal. The Committee of the Chamber dwell on the disaster export port, to the agricultural, planting, and | bank with cheques in band demanding immemanufacturing industries of Bengal and diate payment. Fortunately the bank had Assam, and they point out that any further it would have suffered the same fate as the steps which can be taken to materially other banks.- Lercury. reduce the probability of the plague reaching the Presidency, will meet with the entire approval of the mercantile community. From the quarantine regulations recently adopted for Calcutta, which were their daty, or assault officers on the voyage; laid before the Hongkong Sanitary Board and further remarks that the provisions of the at its last meeting and a precis of which appeared in our columns, it will be seen that Calcutta has not shrunk from the adoption of a system of medical inspection of ships and medical surveillance. If the latter measure is to be preserved, - Japan Mail. at all feasible in a city like Calcutta how much more feasible would it be at Hong-60 kong, where the population is smaller. It may be remembered that the Hon. F. H. MAY, in a letter taking exception to certain comments which appeared in this column on

the discussion at the Sanitary Board, said:

"Surveillance is the very essence of the

'system of medical inspection which Dr. CLARK advocates, and it is the surveillance on shore of passengers landing out of an infected ship, or arriving from an infected port, that some, including myself, regard as impracticable here." For our own part we can hardly conceive of any tices present were Mr. E. Robinson and Mr. and I got his name and then went to the Police place where the system would be more practicable. However, as no one in the colony with the exception of Dr. CLARK appears to have any actual acquaintance with the working of the system it will be an advantage to have the experience of another Eastern city as a guide, and we would suggest that after the Calcutta regulations have had a few months' Queen's Road Central, to Nos. 332 and 334, walked backwards into you, nor is it a fact that trial a full report on their working should be obtained. Such a report, we opine, Bishop for Thomas's Grill Room was trans. out your arm to ward me off. I did not seize would remove much misapprehension and ferred to James Goodchild. show that the anticipated difficulties have been exaggerated. In ordinary times very that H.E. Jen Tao-yung, at present Director. first. You'did not strike me a back-hand blow few persons would be subjected to medical General of the Yellow River, expects either to with your left hand: My brother did not surveillance, and in times when epidemic disease was prevailing in our neighbourhood at Canton, and that in the event of his going not both attack you and drive you through such a system would be less prejudicial to to Canton the Wuchang post will be given the portice into Queen's Road. The watchman the trade of the colony than the total prohibition of immigration from the in- Vicercy Tan of Canton had already received posely go up to the watchman to hear what he fected ports, a system which not only entails much direct and indirect loss, but which to do so by the end of this year. The vacancy cat. has also been shown to be ineffective, in Nauking will, therefore, naturally be given

inasmuch as persons from the infected ports

ject to the system of medical inspection on account of the assumed impracticability of majority, we believe, was directed to the North Sinza, found himself suddenly attacked policeman. Shortly afterwards an Indian police. examination of ships and their passengers. On this point also the experience of Calcutta will be useful, for the system is to and lodged the charge in the legs of a gave his name and we took out a summons. I pieces. The American gold dollar, too, should streets, still gay with Russians colours, will be had no such intention. be applied there, as it was proposed it should country woman a hundred yards away. The know the defendant by sight. be here, to native as well as foreign craft; and it was in relation to native craft that the chief quality and of greater age than most brands in difficulty was anticipated in Hongkong. It will be observed that the duty which in England is trying them all. For a soda whisky, Thorne's | thrown on the Customs officers of ascertaining in the first instance if there has been any sickness or the voyage is in Calcutta thrown upon the pilot. In Hongkong it might, if he intended to do about it." The matter was it were deemed advisable, be thrown upon the boarding officer, though it would be more satisfactory, and in the long run perhaps not more expensive, to have the duty discharged by a medical man. We do not suppose that the experience of Calcutta in the matter of medical inspection will be found very alarming. In Hongkong seemed to be assumed that every individual arriving in the colony was to be subjected to an examination as searching as if he were a candidate for life insurance, but we take

it that in the case of vessels arriving from a healthy port and which bad had no sickness on board during the voyage a duty attested declaration to that effect by the master would be accepted as dispensing with the necessity of an individual examination of the passengers.

The report that Sir Claude MccDonald wa

shortly to visit Shanghai is contradicted, Tsai Taotai took over his seals of office as acting Tactai of Shanghai on the 1st October. The steamer Yarrowdale from New York,

left Singapore on 4th inst. and is due here on or about the 11th inst. The Shanghai Autumn Regatto is fixed for the 25th and 26th inst. to be held at Pootung.

the races finishing at the Signal Station. The Japanese battle thip Fujt arrived at Coombo on the 22nd September and was to leave

there for Singapore on the 2nd October.

The N. C. Daily News says :- One of the consequences of the recent rains has been a A Wuchang despatch reports that H.E. large land-slip in Mesars. S. C. Faraham & Sheng is expected in that city on the 15th of Co. a Cosmopolitan Dock, a portion of the upper October to settle with Vicercy Chang the date side, extending for about one fourth of the for commenting work on the Grand Trank A. S. WATSON & CO., LIMITED. Tength of the dock, having fellen in. For Relivey Considerable material for making Browns MACNIVER ACCOUNT PROS. THE HONGKONG DISPENSARY nature, and beyond delaying the work of and a number of navview have been engaged to lengthening the dock is of no great con- begin work is soon as instructions arrive from Wucheng. - N. C. Daily News.

realist to the first of the fir The P.M. steemer City of Paking with malls, to. laft San Francisco for this port via Hono-

lulu Yekohama Inland Bes, Kobe, Nagasaki, and Shanghai, on the 2nd instant. The Band of the West Yorkshire Regiment will play the following programme at the

Officers' Mess this evening:--Overture..... "Le Cheval de Bronze" "Entrancing" Rallet Music. "Venres Siciliennes." Verdi Walta "Unter den Linden! Chorus and Cavatina "Belisario" Donizetti Selection "Robert le Diable". ... Meyerbear God save the Queen.

Mr. Hoshi, the Japanese Minister to Washington, has telegraphed to his Government that tes and other duty-free goods imported into the United States through Canada must | ing torms :be inspected by the U.S. Consul at Vancouver, and after having the Consular seal affixed to them the goods will be admitted into the United States without paying the additional duty of 10 per cent. on crossing the frontier, as originally decreed.

The vessel now being constructed at the Mitsu Bishi Dockyard at Nagasaki for the Nippon Yusen Kaisha is of 6,000 tons displacement. The steamer is expected to be launched at the end of October and will be named the Hidachimaru. Immediately after its completion a similar vessel, to be named the Shinano-maru. will be laid down. The Hidachi-maru is the Japanese.—Nagasaki Press.

The present rate of exchange, says the Shun Pao, has greatly affected business transactions fluential Chinese Bank closed its doors, its wounded. In shipping circles the vessel was manager disappearing; two days after, another sufficient reserve to meet the demand; otherwise

The Mainichi Shimbun is urging the passing of laws for the better control of the merchant marine of Japan. It points out the utter powerlessness of the captains of Japanese ships when their men refuse to obey orders, neglect Penal Code at present do not provide punishment of an adequate nature in any of these cases. It is certainly time that something like the discipline enforced by the Merchant Shipping Act on English vessels should be applied to Japanese ships if the good name of Japan is

At Shanghai, at half-past eight on Wednes. I to see if any steamer was coming in. As I was day night. 29th September, seven sailors belong. leaving the premises I felt a blow on my ing to the Austrian steamer Gisela, which was stomach. I looked and saw the defendat anchor opposite the Old Ningpo Wharf, were | aut. He had already passed me then. I went thrown into the water through the sampan, in | up to him and pulled him by the jacket at the which they intended to go ashore, capsizing. Six of them saved themselves by hanging on to He turned round and strack me with his fist the sampan, but the other, the donkeyman, was on the left sar. I told him not to use his hand drowned, and his body has not yet been any more. He then struck me on the nose with recovered. The sampan man was carried by the his fist, leaving a mark. My younger brother tide between the steamer and the lighters that | was with me at the time. He told the defenwere lying alongside, one of which crushed the | dant not to strike me. Defendant struck him poor man's head, and although he was rescued on the left jaw with his fist. My brother told from the water, he died whilst being conveyed | the watehman at the door to call for a police to the hospital.—China Gazette.

W. M. B. Huthur. Mr. C. D. Wilkinson ap. | Station. peared on behalf of Wm. Frank Cox, who applied for the transfer of his publican's licence for the phreys's office I was facing the north. One of my premises situate at Nos. 12 and 13, Queen Vic- feet was outside the threshold of the door toria Street, under the sign of the "Tra. when you were passing me. I did not notice his business as a licensed publican, now out two or three feet into the street and was Live In Hotel," at premises know as No. 318, shoulder at a placard. It is not a fact that

take Vicercy Chang Chih-tung's place at Wu- strike you with both hands. He simply lifted chang very soon, or Viceroy Tan Chung-lin's up his hand and asked you to stop. We did to the retiring Viceroy Ln Ch'nan-lin of at the Hongkong Dispensary did not say I had Szechuan, and vice versa. In other words commenced the fighting. You did not purthe sanction of the Throne to retire, while had to say. I did not use bad language in Vicercy Liu of Nanking expects to be permitted | English or Chinese. You called me a Chinese to Viceroy Chang Chih-tung, thereby leaving at the Alice Memorial Hospital. I was with the vicerovalties of the Hu-Kwang and the Two my brother (the complainant) about 11.30 a.m. pedient of proceeding first to some other ling of there vacancies has already been settled the complainant a back-handed blow on the at Peking and will be bestowed respectively on stomach. My brother asked him what was Jon Tao-yung and Lu Ch'uan-lin. Both these the matter. The defendant then turned N. C. Daily News.

> The N. C. Daily News gives the following again on the nose with his fist. I went up to firing his gan at it, but missed the dog go with the constable. Afterwards defendant clamour which arose amongst the villagers soon apprised the foreigner of his bad marksmanship part of valour he made a bee-line for the settlement. But just as he was on the point of at work on a house near by turned out in force and stopped him, and he was taken back to Wangkaza, where the wounds of the countrywoman were shown him and he was asked "what compromised eventually in the usual way by the promise of a douceur and a letter to the Shantung Road Hospital asking that the countrywoman might be attended to.

REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.

Soudan tribes have renounced Mahdism.

YELLOW FEVER AT NEW ORLEANS. Yellow fever is ra ing at New Orleans. FIGHTIN AT UGANDA. Advices from Ug. ada state that Mivanga has been defeated after an hour and a half's fighting, with heavy loss on both sides. The rebellion is distinctly anti-Enropean and there is much alarm at Mengo, which is left denuded

during the operations against Mivanga. ROYAL HONGKONG GOLF CLUB. CAPTAIN'S CUP FOR OCTOBER.

There were sixteen entries for the cup and a like number subscribed to the pool :--CAPTAIN'S CUP. Dr. J. Boll 118 15 POOT. Commander Taylor, R. N. 102 11 Capt. B. M. Rumsey, B. N. 105

Dr. J. Bell 15

THE GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY,

ADDICAL CARRIES THE COMMESSION OF

Managera of the Dongles Steamship Co. Limited have received telegraphic information of the wreck of the steamer Namou. The news | fault can be a great extent be set right with was first received late on Monday night, when little trouble and at no inconvenience. the following telegram reached the firm :-Fooshow, 4th October.

Namea wrecked close to Cow's Horn outside forth entrance to Haitan Straits. All hands landed except eight Chinese. Bhip beached in exposed position. Cannot send protection from here. Wiring Amoy. Hall [the Captain] fears no chance of salvage.

received in answer to one despatched by Messre Douglas Lapraik and Co. It was in the follow-Foochow, 5th October, Struck at ten o'clock on Sunday morning on sunken rock, Burvivers arrived last night

missing Chinese] will telegraph later.

The Namoa was one of the best known of the vessels engaged on the coast. She was built by Messrs. Hall, Russell & Co., of Aberdeen, in 1872, China coast, the only variation in these duties having been an occasional voyage to Australia. largest steamer that has yet been built by She was making her 584th trip when she was wrecked. It will be remembered that the Namoa was pirated in December, 1890, five hours after leaving Hongkong, Captain Pocock and three others being murdered and several generally known as the favourite. It is not a rumour that the Ting Sing Bank would close known whether the sunken rock was marked and reminted with cent, in place of farthing. In the baraar things seem to have reached the control and will be represented in the great its doors, hundreds of people rushed to the on the chart or not, but the weather reports from South Peak indicate that a very heavy sea and wind were prevailing at the time of striking. The steamer was insured locally.

> A SOLICITOR CHARGED WITH ASSA ULT.

At the Police Court vesterday Mr. H. Gedge, solicitor, appeared in answer to twosummonses charging him with assault. The complainants were Wong Wan Loung, a clerk employed at the Kowloon Observatory, and Wong Man On, a medical student at the Alice Memorial Hospital. The summons taken out by Wong Wan Loung was heard first Wong Wan Loung said-I am a clork in the Kowloon Observatory. On the 2nd instant, between 11 a.m. and noon, I went up to Mr. J D. Humphreys's office in Queen's Road Central

shoulder and asked him why he had struck me, constable. The defendant then stopped striking me. He told me to walk away. He wanted to Yesterday a special meeting of the Justices | go about his own business and I followed him. of the Peace was held at the Magistracy. Mr. I met an Indian constable and told him to H. E. Wodehouse presided, and the other ins. arrest the defendant. Defendant refused to go

To the defendant-When I left Mr. Hum-

veller's Hotel," to Charles August Stuhl- whether the street was blooked. You had a mann. The application was granted. Gustave | deed in your left hand. You struck me with Neubrunn was granted permission to remove | the right hand. It is not a fact that I had got carried on under the sign of "The Land We | walking westward and was looking over my Queen's Road Central, formerly occupied by I put out my right hand and said "Where are him. The adjunct licence held by Frederick | you going?" I do not know whether you put you by the jacket. I did not strike at you with both my fats and use bad language A report from reliable native sources states in English and Chinese. You struck me

Wong Man On said—I am a medical student with his fist. My brother lifted his hand and

some blows the affair endel. The man were walking slowly backwards. Lide not know who ther they used bad language or not At this point the case was adjourned until to-SOOT New wassespeed.

DEVINADIRATIONS OF BRITISH Lu seems strange that a commercial nation Messrs, Douglas Labralk and Co., General | like the British people should be content to allow years and years to go by, bearing with the trouble and indirect loss entailed by a faulty system of columns; more emecially so when that

> Amongst the numerous suggestions for ommemorating Queen Victoria's Diamond Jubilee was the placing of the coinage on a docimal basis and the writer thinks that permanent memorial it was the best suggestion of all those proposed; for do we not to day find

Yesterday morning a second telegram was The British coinage, at present, stands thus: -4 farthings-1 ponny , 12 pence-1 shilling 20 shillings=1 pound sterling. There are, be sides these, a number of additional coins, viz., the half-penny; the three-penny piece; four-penny piece; the six pence; the 2 shilling piece, or florin; the half-crown, or 2 shillings and 6 pence; the 4 shillings, or double floring Viceroy sending protection. Particulars mis- the crown, or shillings; and the half-sovereign, sing [presumably particulars regarding the or 10 shillings.

Now see the following tables! In the second. or proposed new table, is innerted a new coin termed a Victoria and intended to commemorate the Diamond Jubiles of the great Queen of that name, as it, likewise, forms the missing link reand since then had been almost entirely on the | quired to place the coinege on a decimal basis vithout disturbing the existing currency in fact a radical change without change, anomalous as it may soom.

OLD TABLE. TEOPOSED NEW TABLE, pound sterling=20 shillings 1 pound sterling=10 floring 1 florin=10 Victorias shilling-12 ponco penny=4 farthings 1 Victorin=10 conts. Now, to explain the new table. The Victoria is a new nickel coin of the value of 2,4 pence. and the cents are the old farthings, ten of which

stamped on them. How do we stand now? Thus: we have ntroduced a new coin, the Victoria, a coin which would circulate in preference to the absurdly small three-penny and four-penny silver pieces, and have converted the farthing into a cent. The remainder of the coinage remains as before. What would this mean f Merchants would at once quote prices and keep their accounts in L.v. o. (pounds, victorias, and cents) instead of £ s. d., thereby simplifying calculations and promoting trade with other countries where a decimal standard is in vogue and where they do not understand our present stupid system, except as one calculated to esuse onfusion; Queen Victoria would receive permanent commemoration; foreigners would cease to laugh at our perversity; finally a radical change would be quietly effected, for the other coins would still circulate at their face value. The Victorias should be made to weigh a fractional part of an ounce (say 1 onnce) for use

CORRESPONDENCE

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DIRECTORS AND CHARITIES

as letter weights, and all other coins adjusted

for use as weights as opportunities arose for

reminting them.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE "DAILY PRESS." SIR,—We weep at the crimes committed in the name of religion, but we seem to have no shame for the falsehood and fraud of which we are guilty under the pretence of charity. 'Charity seeketh not her own;" but this what I find in an extract from The Statist under the above heading in your to-day's issue :-"Clearly, therefore, the directors are bound not to pay away the company's money without the sanction of the company at a general meeting. nuless in their houest opinion they think would be for the benefit of the company to do o. It is not necessary that they should look for a money return for the money expended. They might obtain a very material and valuable return without any direct receipt of money. In my opinion what a man gives in charity should be his own individual, spontaneous, and private not, and directors of Companies have no right to give away the money of others for any purpose outside the business of the company.

Hongkong, 5th October, 1897.

THE SILVER CRISIS.

In his Paris letter dated 27th August to the as current money, and that it could not again the well-governed countries of the world, is now Speciator remarks.—"The closer we look into consession of the French company has for some not only shared by the leading economists of the the details of the arrangements binding Europe, I time been offered for sale. The United States day, but is supported by events of some im- the clearer it becomes that no one of these and other governments had the opportunity of portance in themselves. According to the latest | various Powers can move without Plussia. In | purchasing it and continuing the work. news received from Mexico, the Government some way or other every Power except Eussia has, after a conference upon the silver crisis, is bound either by expressed agreement or by resolved to meet it by encouraging gold ex- interests not to alter the status que ploration and mining, by levying an export Queen Victoria and the Marquis of Salisbury. can reach the colony by the simple ex- Kwang vacant. According to ramour the fil- on the 2nd October. I saw the defendant strike duty upon bullion and by accepting gold for though fully aware of the French jedousy of the account of the Treasury at the current rate of England, place great reliance upon the clear billy that the consession has passed under the exchange for Mexican silver dollars. The last cut, English tending influence of the Crarina combrol of the British Covernment, in which measure indicates that at last some preparations over the Czar, and believe that the alliance foreign delimited capital and engineering science. But while some, including Mr. MAY, ob- high officials are favourities of the Emperor.— round and struck me on the left eye are being makes for peace. Germany finds solate might obviet selection difficulties: This would not be for the introduction of the really makes for peace. Germany finds solate might obviet selection difficulties: This would not be for the introduction of the really makes for peace. Germany finds solate might obviet selection difficulties: gold standard, but the measure itself is of so in the bitter chagrin of the Emperor William's prevent any further efforts towards building told desendant to stop. Desendant struck me little practical significance that it means in remark at St. Petersburg .- According to any I the Nieurogram Canal reality nothing at all. What the Govern- conviction, we shimmed the cream Prince medical surveillance, the objection of the account of a shooting accident:—A foreigner, him and told him to stop and he then dealt me ment should have done long ago was to adopt Bismarck, too, is softening German susceptibile necording to a native report, out shooting in a blow on the left check. I called out for a the gold valuation pure and simple, and de- lities, in explaining the weakness of the means the official information on the subject he was monetise the present dollar, which could have ling of the words employed by the Canby a native dog at the village of Wang- man came up and I told him I charged the de- been declared fractional currency with limited. In France, particularly in Paris, the deliration kaza. He tried to scare the dog off by fendant with assault. The defendant refused to legal tender force, at the same time issuing a continues. Russian names are given to every the Paparis Canal. England had no desire to decree prohibiting the importation of similar possible article of fashion and luxury. The contact an anadartaking, he said and have been tariffed at so many Mexican dollars recording. Wherever mon see motures of the To the defendant-My brother came down and made the unit of the future monetary Caar, they lift their hats, and the statue of the steps first. I was a step behind him. system, and as much as possible of the exist. Strasburg on the Place de La Concorde de guily and thinking that discretion was the better It is not the case that my brother was ing silver stock in the Treasury and in the decorated with fioral wreaths in response to the actually in the street and was look banks should have been sold quickly in New almost universal conviction that Russia means ing backwards at a placard. My brother York. When I for the first time proposed to compel Strasburg's restorations

> compel you to retreat into the street. You got the parity of gold dollars is 5.18f. The correstime since 1871 that she is strong enough to into the street, but we did not force you there. ponding value of the American dollar would have her own way. This concluded the evidence for the com- therefore represent as much as 2.42 Mexican dollars. In other words, the Mexican Govern-The Defendant made the following state. | ment has let pass a splendid opportunity to no-[SUPPLIED TO THE "DAILY PLESS."]
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> LONDON, 3rd October.
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> GREECE.
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> M. Zaimis has formed a new Cabinet.
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> THE SOUDAN.
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> General Sir H. H. Kitchener tregraphs that latters have arrived safely at Berber from Suskim, and that the whole of the Eastern my right arm and ha raw accounts two left force.
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> Indicate the raw account nations and that the whole of the Eastern my right arm and ha raw accounts two left force.
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> Indicate the raw good schows a most strike from west to east. I had a deed in my right follows will be lard work indeed. Silver and have been busy perfecting the affecting the affecting the affecting the affecting the affecting the rame, iron goods show a most strike follows will be lard work indeed. Silver and have been busy perfecting the affecting the aff Sunkim, and that the whole of the Eastern my right arm and he ran against my left fore party, has never listened to proposale of this of Bavaria; the Grand Duke Nicholas of Russia, I ministry, following the advice of the bimetallic the King of Wurtenburg, the Frince Regent Chief increases are in cattle, 1250 000; wheat and that the whole of the Eastern my right arm and he ran against my left fore party, has never listened to proposale of this of Bavaria; the Grand Duke Nicholas of Russia, I ministry, following the advice of the bimetallic the King of Wurtenburg, the Frince Regent Chief increases are in cattle, 1250 000; wheat arm. I said, "Where are you going?" He kind, and has left things alone. In 1893, with the Duke and Dunkers of Counserate the Luke I find 1852 000 Bacon Medding! turned sharply round, seized me by the collar silver at about 140f per kilo, the French pinated of Cambridge, Frince and Princess Henry of on the right side, clenched his first, and said was worth 3.40f, while at present it would Prussia and many other notables. The army "What is this, you son of a ——." I gave him scarcely fetch 2. 15f. The loss inflicted on the manuscrees proper do not begin mutil Monday two punches with my open hand and said commonwealth of the great colony comes, next, when 135 battalions of infancy. 115 "Get away, got away." He came at me with therefore, to about 36 per cent. On the other squadrons of cavalry, 111 batteries of artillery, both fists to punch me as hard as he could, hand, the Indian Government has succeeded 21 technical companies, and three companies of two panches with my open hand and said
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> Its of the me as hard se he could be forecome. The first to punch me as hard se he could be forecoment has successed to the west of the first to punch me as hard se he could be forecoment. The count of the first to punch me as hard see he could be forecoment has successed to the west of the west wearing the whole time both in English and Chimace. His brother we also using both his first. I retreated beginning to the street and Chimace. His brother we also using both his first. I retreated beginning to the street and chimace the gutter. To keep them off I gave companing nearer and nearer the forecomen planaart two punches on the tace with my left hard and his whole one punch. When the old collage rate of 10c? to quest in sulfage.
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> Rank, a waldmann at the Hongkong, Disponency, was called for the defende, The man were strength or with the some Chinamen were strength or with the sound of 2.5%, at earcroy 40c. But while the some chinamen were strength or with the sound monetary policy or hard to complete the sound man the work of the sound man the sound with the s night is keenly felt in India. The silver markets. The British symp managers which finished in a resolution of This Charles instructs the

proceeding in excertance with the spirit this Law, with the coinage of national gold money or rather with the tariffing of foreign nighty depreciated allver dollar, and this was come to hand, nor is the rate of conversion of the old silver dollars into the naw gold coin to be prested which is most important known. As, however, the said dollar is of about the same fact that such a country adopts the gold standard, alliance against the common enemy. England. while the French Government sticks will to The weiter shows plainly what help America the treacherous silver valuation of Cochin Chins, would give the Dual Aillance, but it is not is worthy of record, and denotes that the serious equally clear what benefit America would delesson other people have received from the received rive.

cont collapse of silver has passed quite unnoticed first anyther. In the Price Of Silver. in certain quarters in spite of timely warnings. San Salvador is now the tenth country which has adopted the gold standard within about five years. Austria Rungary opened the campaigh: same monetary policy, while in Bulgaria it has been placed on the order of the day

BOMBAY AND CALCUITA gress in a most estisfactory manner, they last the Indian Government hold, 13 erores of supees, quotation to hand being 15.81d, so that the which will be released against gold in the event gold point of about 16fd may soon be attained. and shipments of the precious metal to India for regular ourrecoy purposes be made. This would be much better than the encouraging of those private silver importations which now cause such enormous losses to the population. If the natives of India will insist on logiding would equal 2.5 pence, but they would now be metal instead of using sayings hanks, they should declared to pass as cents till all are called in be encouraged to heard gold rather than silver. culminating point since for some days no correct quotation of silver, for forward delivery at least, could be given. The quoted price of spot largely aploited by foreign firms, and seriously silver—about 64 rapees—cannot be relied upon, as with silver at 24d the silver point would work out at only 15.30d.

> The rate for cable transfers has further declined to the new record figure of 27td. while four months' bills are at 27 d. At 24d nor ounce standard the silver point, with I per cent pharges, works out at 28 d. As the metal is quoted at 111 taels Shanghal correndy for 100 taels Canton weight, the parity at the above exchange of 271d comes to only 28,33d per ounce standard without and to 23,58d with forwarding charges. In other words, there is still considerable profit in importing silver from Shanghai and selling it in London or New York even at panio prices. The fact that the altered state of things in the cilver along with it a change in Shanghai but that the sterling exchange there remains continually under silver parity is a sign of the times indeed, and clearly indicates that the allver orisis has not yet resched its hoight. It is strange indeed that China-the silver country par excellence—apparently wishes to get rid of surplus silver even at the lowest prices ever

> The rate for cable transfers is wired at 21td more or less nominal price of 2-d. for Mexican dollars the silver point, with I per cent charges. works out at 21d, so that there would be a good margin for silver shipments.

> SINGAPORE AND PENANG. The four months exchange keeps steady at The sterling rate in the Straits Settlements does not at all follow the rourse of the price of silver, on which, however, its currency is still

THE CANADIAN MAIL

The C. P. B. steamer Empress of China, with the Canadian Mail, arrived here yesterday, The following telegrams are from Yancouver

THE FRANCO-RUSSIAN AGELANCE. alliance, although it has been interrupted by passed into the hands of another French cemthe shoutings of the Emperor William of pany. Notwithstanding the scandals and dif-

columns that silver had no longer any future | European affairs has been shifted to St. Peters. | three thousand men has been steadily employed: form the basis of any sound monetary system of Commenting upon the political situation, the perpetual source of discourse entent; and the crossing the boundary creek some carpenters did not, while walking backwards, stumble at work on a house near by turned ont in force against you. My brother did not hold your ment, the position of things was such that the ready disappointed with not obtaining immense jacket; he simply had his hand on your American dollar might easily have been tariffed. Russian contracts; Russian certainly intends to shoulder. You said, "Get away, get away," but at two Mexican dollars, and a great deal of silver do much to gratify Erench ambition. The first that was after you struck him in the face. We might have been sold at a corresponding price. At step announced is the establishment of a line did not use our fists. You did not retaliate by present the price of silver makes the gold volue sian legation at l'angier, to support Franch giving a back-hander in the face. We did not of the latter piece work out at only 2.14f, while views in Africa; and France feels for the lifest

> THE AUTUMN MANORUVRER London 4th September. Between the intervals of the universal shout-

decreed according to which a such of double with angineering annualists, boiler makers, standard, in subject themselves, gold money. Over six hundred mondars, boiler makers, finishers, etc., at Newpastle, Sheffield, and other ought to have had a secondarit position, was limitions etc., at Newmatle, Sheffeld, and other established. But the Government instead of centres have received notices that their services are not required after this week. Many tirms affected declare that they are proparing to move their establishments to the Continent, and add gold completed to force mon the population a that the constitut of an elebt hours work dovis by no means the most important thing involved refused point blank throughout the sometry. In the dispute the strikers being opposed to the Particulars of the Bill just passed have not yet introduction of new machinery and trying artificially to check production. L'ONMERCEAL ALLIANCE AGAINST

London, 7th September,

The niverce in the price of Bilver is supposed to be due to the holding back of supplies by American producers, and to British Honduras Chill and Hustin followed the idea that ellver ourrency will be wanted hard upon her, and of late we have seen Japan, in India. The purchases will be for im-Peru, Costa Rica and San Domingo adopt the mediate shipment by people having contredit is falsh in India and China. The Tires and Standard concur in the opinion that the impression that India will buy silver is a The rate of cable transfers continues to pro- mistaken one. The Currency Department of of gold being exported to India.

A NEW RUSSIAN OIL SYNDICATE: London, 7th Sentember. The Standard publishes a despatch from Baku saying that a new Russian syndicate composed of 12 large petroleum firms will, it is expected be formed in 1898 on a 10 years. basis. The syndicate will control immense in order to compate with American oil and with the Russian Grosseri fields wells, which are threaten the Bakn trade. THE PAST ATLANTIC SERVICE

Montreal, 8th September The Star states that Messrs. Peterson. Tute Co. have given up their contract for the fast Atlantic service and that it has been taken over by Messis Gray, Daves & Co., of London, and intimates that the Marques of Lorns may be one of the directors. Toronto, 9th September. The following is the Toronto Evening Tele-

ent 9 Inquiry at the offices of the Peterson Tate firm here elicit from the principals a point blank derial that their contract with inneda for the construction of the fast Atlantic line of steamers was or is to be, transferred to another firm. The rumour, they say, is false throughout, and could only have been circulated with ulterior motives: The firm has undertaken the contract, and will carry to through with

extinfaction to all concerned THE PANAMA CANAL. Now York 9th Centember A special to the World from Colon Columbia, says it is announced that a concession for the purpose of completing the Pauling Canal has been granted to England. New York, 9th September. A lespetali to the World from Washington mays . The World's special cable advices from Colon to the effect that the franchise herotoford held by a French company, for the construction of a ship canal across the Isthmus.

of Papana, and been transferred to the Government of Great Britain, has caneed a sensation here. Officials and those closely interested in At 24d for Mexican dollars the silver point, the Nichroppe Canal project frankly admit, if with 1 per cent, charges comes to 21 07d. The that transference has really been made, it will efdifference between the two figures is so pro- | feetanlly prevent the United States from connounced that it requires further explanation, trolling the proposed great inter-occanic water-Camp usoless. At the same time, it is not generally believed here that the concession held by the French company has been transferred to the Hovernment of Great Britain. It is considered possible that an English company has purchased the rights of the French company, and may continue the work now in progress but that the British Government has a sumed control of the rolect is not credited. The concession originally granted by the United States of Colombia for the construction

I and Isthmes carat to connect the Atlantic M. Pacific oceans to M. De Lesseps and his Public attention still cantres in the dual syndicate of French capitalists, subsequently Financial Times Mr. Ottomar Houpt writes:— Germany. England remains apathetic in spite houldes connected with the work, much head.

The opinion expressed by me so often in these of the fact that the centre of gravity in way has recently been made. A force of two or change that all the centre of gravity in way has recently been made. dut the uncertainty of final success proved a Civil engineers and those furnities with the capel construction are not of apinion that the company of English apitalists would meet with better enecess than their French-predecessors.

> Sepretary Sherman stated that, while he had considered that there was no fruit in the report that Great Britain had undertaken to complete

CINADA'S TRADE WITH GREAT BRITAIN. Montreal Oth September. The Store cable cays .- Four months have now oldered since the new Canadian Professatial Pariff went late operation. The results to Great Britain es shown by the actual traderellaring are most disappointing. The trade of every one of the four months has shown a large. decline in British exports to the Dominion of Careda culminatary in an Angost decline, as since the pro-Bitish Tariff went listo effect, was E171 553, or 14 per cent Cotton, lines and woodlen goods show very substantial ceclines, and worsted alone smoon manufactures shows an increase which amounts to Electo Under the new Tariff bearing Mr.

THATES UNION CONCRESS. Hirm nicham Stil September

there are it appears in a state of complete foodsy near Arands and Value farmsbes in panic and no correct quotations of the price of struction to 2019 men, have not called ferry in the paning of facility of particular test year the metal in the bacage can be given.

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ropean discontented labour. At a meeting held this afternoon of over 250 | Oct. 16 - To Strate, China and Japan : Mr. E. ing That the best interests of labour and Grist exchange between silver and gold monies so as to provide a common standard of value throughout the world. This meeting of representative trades' unioniats carnest y urges the Government to carry out its pleages to Parliament on the subject in a hearty liberal spirit in the present negotiations for an international agree-

Birmingham, 10th September. The Trades Union Congress to-day bassed a resolution instructing the Parliamentary Committee to collect and distribute a special fund to: assist the striking engineers.

The Congress suspended the standing orders in order to discuss a resolution of the National Federation, introduced by the National Plate Glass Bevollers Trade Union It read .- This Congress is of the opinion that nothing short of a national federation of all trades and industries will relieve workers from their present unsatisfactory condition, and instructs the Parlinmentary Committee to issue a circular, based. on this national system of federation, with a view to enlist the co-operation of all organised workers throughout Great Britain. The resolution was eventually passed amid enthus. 1-To Yokohama: Mr. Balas, issu on the arging of one speaker who blaimed that a single union was not strong enough to defeat capital and that the time had come to form such a union

THE BANK OF ENGLAND AND SHIVER. London, 11th September The Times this morning in an article from special correspondent in whose accuracy it save it has reason to place confidence; makes the imnortant announcement that the Bank of England's directors have consented to hold one-lift! of the Bank's reserve in silver. The article which is headed. "Remonstrance, says "He the Bank been well advised in falling in with the suggestion pushed forward by certain Americans that it should hold one fifth of this reserve in silver P. Perhaps the assent was given in very guarded terms, perhaps, it was done to oblige persons in high quarters; perhaps, it was considerd an not of international courtesy. There may have been this or that reason to exens and extenuate; but the broad plain truth that in the existing circumstances the Buck webt to have set its face emphatically exerust any such notion and has not done so. It riseless to contend that the plan is stomped with the permission of the Bank's Charter Act and the authority of Sir Robert Peel. It is equally useless to remainler that at the Paris monetary conference in 1881, the Bank, on the suggestion of Italy and the United States, gave some sort of a promise that should international bimotallism be established it might allow the reappearance of silver ballion an asset in the Issue Department of the Bank. The reasons which notuated Sir Robert Feel have no application to the present circumstances. It is important to remember that the concession of LSSL was immediately seized upon as an important British declaration in favour of bimetallism and has been handled as an appropriate ingrinst her ever since. We do not live in 1814 and ought to learn wisdom from the experience of 1881. TROFESSOR H. WINTER, Now-a-days it would be asseless for the Bank of England to keep £7,000,000 or £8,000,000 in the shape of silver reserve as it would be for Parliament to pace a law for the creation of

rotten boroughs. The Bank of England ought to have said this, and has not said it. Sir Robert Peel explained in 1841 that it was well to hold silver so as to be in a posi- form a perfect ourg tion to enjoy the opportunity afforded us by Has Arrived in HONGKONG, and will rebimetallic France to pay our debts in cheaper metal. But what has this to do with the present American suggestion? The very point of it is that our reserve is to consist permanently partly of silver so that we may ussist in raising its price so that we could dispose of it at a profit to France. America is to do the very thing ander the proposed schoole that under international himetallism we could not do. The circumstances are quite different. Where Peel may have been wise we should be exceedingly will please send their address, and he will call

foolish, for the only dubious point of our on MONDAYS and FRIDAYS between 2 and financial system is the very occasional weak-15 PM ness of our gold reserve at the Bank of England Why should we deliberately choose to water that reserve by practically reducing it one fifth? Sir Robert Peel's other reason was that a stock of silver might occasionally be convenient for shipment to the far-East, but since the telegraph was invented that reason no longer exists. We can order silver from anywhere in a few seconds and as Loudon is the principal silver market of the whole world

we need no stock at the Bank. The Times, commenting editorially on what it called "Dramatic Surprises," says the as--torishment of the public will be immeasurably greater than at the action of the India council This revolutionary policy, for it is nothing less as our correspondent describes it, applies to the stock of com and bullion held in the Isane Department as security for Bank notes.

The Pall Mail Garette says :- That some justified promise has been given by the Bank of England authorities to deal with the silver question in a palliative sense is in fact nothing. At present the matter is not regarded seriously, members of the Stock Exchange refusing to believe it possible that the Bank authorities would countenance a departure which could not but be most damaging to its trade credit.

SHIPPING REPORTS.

4th Oot, had strong N.E. wind and cloudy The Naulahka, by Rudyard Kipling and The British steamer Taxong, from Shanghaid 1st Oct., and Systow 4th, had light N.E. winds and smooth sea from Shanghai 40 White Doga From White Dogs to port strong N.E. wind and high coa.

The British steamer Empress of China, from Vancouver 2nd Sept, and Shanghai 2nd Oct. had fine weather with moderate to fresh S.VV. winds to the 180 meridian, and thence moderate to light N.W. winds and smooth ses to Yokohama, arriving 7 a.m., 27th Sept., and called at usual coast ports, having line weather, excepting in Inland Sec, where much rain was experienced and strong monsoon on China coast. Arrived Hongkong 8 a.m., Tuesday, 5th Oct.; 21 days out from Vancouver.

PASSENGERS BOOKED FOR THE FAR HAST.

Per P. & O steamer Manile, from London. Sept. 4 - To Straits; China and Japan Mr. C. Panorama Salon, 1897 Volume (in Eng. Deighton Braysher, Mrs. Barnes, Mr. H. P. Hish)
Vining, Mr. F. St. John Boughton, Mr. Hisseke, Brassey's Navel Aupual, 1896 and 1897. 8.00 Miss Davidson Mrs. Rannie. Per P. & O. steamer knotoria, connecting with the steamer Kaiser i-Hillest Loiembo. From London, Sept. 10:-- To Straits, China and Japan Rev. E. W. S. O'Neill, Mer. J. Meikleichn, Miss. Land Mr. Cunline, Mr. and Men Chipper and two children, Mr. D. W. Jones, Mrs. Electon, Mr Franz L. Libert Mr. Edward Rowbettom Mr. F. A. Howe, Lieut-Cot. C. B. Casey, Staff Quartermenter Sergionic James, Mrs. James. From Brindist, Bept 19—Mr. H. De Kergariou argeon Captain Chaig. Per P. & O. steamer Formesa, from London,

Sept. 18.—To Straits Chiesand Japan Mr. A. B. Bremner, Mrs. E. D. Watt and three children. Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Dowler, and two children. Dr. and Mrs. Eliot Chrons and child. Miss. A. M Eann, Mas Whitley and L children, Mr. and Mrs. Wyon Mrs. Siorman, Mr S. H. King, Miss Wyth Per P. J. O. stremer Vuletta, connecting with the steamer Hoselfast Colombo. From London, Quien's Road, Under Hongkong Hotel: [24

Sapt. 23—To Straits Chine aut.Japan. Mr. H. Robinson, Miss Crows, Miss Jatrell, Miss Agner Meyer, Mr. and Mrsey Harkershaw, Mr. W. Williams, Ms. E.T. Bucker, Alse Shophord, Mrs. Harris, Miss B. Liavings. Dr. Elembs. Miss L. Heroks, Misse I. E. Pols, Miss E. J. Upperview, Misse P. Cullegraville Mile Augustolic Miss F. Pago, Misse B. Smithing, Mr. C. A. Favon. Mins Sherwood, Man Middrick, Mrs. Houses, Mr. Parkid, Mr. C. Markine: From Fort Said

Per P. & O steamer Australia connection Por P. & O. steemer Malacca, from London.

delegates to the Trades Union Congress now F. Baunders, Mrs. Dunnian, Hon. J. W. Allin. in session here, a resolution was adopted declar son, Mrs. Allinson, Miss Plerson, Mr. and Mrs. productive industry imporatively press for an Per P. & O steamor Arcadia, contesting with international settlement of the monetary ques the steamer Mirappore at Colombo, from London, tion by means of the restoration to par of the Oct. 22. To Straits, China and Japan : Miss Ross, Miss Jackson, Capt, and Mrs. Whittle and daughten Mrs. Treather. Per Messayeries Maritimes Oceanian, from Marseilles Sept. 5.-To Hongkong: Mr. and

Mrs Remedios, Misses Remedios (2). Per Messagories Maritimes stopmer Australien, connecting with the steamer October at Colombo, from Marseilles, Sept. 12.-To Kobe: Mrs. Le Gandeo de Penlen. To Shenghai Miss G Turner, Mr. and Mrs. W. Turner and

Per Messageries Maritimes steamer Melbourne from Marseilles, Sept. 26 -To Yokobama: Mr. and Mrs. Van de Solder, Mr. Sohneider. Shanghai, Mr. Dick, Mr. and Mrs. Timin, Mr. D. E. Clarke, Mr. J. C. Ford, Mr. W. H. e.

Per Messagories Maritimes steamer Ernest David Gubbay, Esq. Siptons from Marseilles, Oct. 8.-To Kobe: Mr. N Kutadka, Mr. M. Hirose, Mr. Moramatau, Mr. Yoshida, Mr. Simitomo. To Hongkong: Mr and Mrs. V. Ladds. Per Messageries Maxitimes steamer Ville de la Motat connecting with the steamer Ernest Simone at Colombo, from Marseilles, Oct. 10.

EXPORT CARGO. The German steamer Erate, sailed on the 27th September: For Odessa -- 39 bales canes. 67 bales raisngal and 50 boxes staraniseed. For Havro: 10 boxes foutbors, 29 boxes paper. 394 rolls matting, 30 cases bristles, 118 cases chinaware, 2 cases silk, 12 cases blackwoolware. cases poho oil, 3 boxes human hair, 50 boxes camphor, 38 packages tea and 8 packages sundries. For Havre Option Hamburg -15 bales rattans and 300 cases paimles fians. For Havre/Hamburg/London: - 45 cases essential oil, 60 cases bristles, 350 cases comphor, 50 casks ginger, 100 bales feathers and cassis oil For Hamburg: 548 drums camphor oil, 3 cases ilang ilang, 65 rolls matting, 25 packages lanterns, 559 bales canes, 50 boxes staranissed. cases blackwoodware, 215 cases proserves, 210 casks presurves, 44 boxes essential oil, 50 bales rattair shavings, 20 cases cassin oil, 940 cases cassis 33 boles rattancore, 16 cases chinaware. 44 packages crackers, 31 cases bristles, 61 casks ringer, 37 cases ginger, 2 bales galangal, 1,130

burg Lioudon Antwerp:—40 cases bristles. For Hamburg Option London: -5 boxes bristles. For Hamburg Option Antwerp -- 20 cases bristles. For Antwerp:-125 pokgs tea. For Lisbon -3 cases ching & lacqd. ware. For New York -10 boxes cassia cil. IMPORITANT NOTICE.

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The O. & O. steamer Goelle, with mails, &c., left San Francisco for this port via Honolulu, Yokohama, Illand Soa, Kobe, Nagasaki, and Changhal, on the 21st altimo. THE RRENOH MAIL. The M. M. steamer Oceanien, with the next outward French mail, left Singapore on the 2nd

iost, at 5 p.m. THE INDIAN MAIL, The steamer Kutsang, from Calentia and Straits, left Singspore for this port on Saturday, the 2nd instant, at 4 p.m. THE AUSTRALIAN MALL. The N. Y. K. steamer Omi Maru, (Australian line) left Thursday Island for this port

on the 4th instant and is expected to arrive

here on the morning of the 15th instant.

MERCHANT STRAMERS. The O. S. S. Co's atsamer Sarpedon, from Glasgow and Liverpool, left Singapore on the 2nd inst. and may be expected here on or about Friday, 8th inst. The steamer Fernfield, from New York, left Singapore on the 1st instant and is due here on or about the 8th inst. The C. Mutual Co.'s steamer Hyson, from Swansea; Glasgow, and Liverpool, left Singa-

pore for this port on Saturday, and may be expected here on or about the 5th instant. The N. P. steamer Columbia, sailed from Tacoma. Wn., for this port via Japan and Shanghei on the 5th ultimo. The N. P. steamer Tacama sailed from Tacoms. Wn., for this port via Japan and Shanghai on the 26th ultimo. The N. P. steamer Pelican arrived at Yokohama from Tacoma on the 23rd ult. The steamer Merionethshire, from London left Singapore on the 28th instant, and is due here on or about the 4th instant.

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POST-OFFICE NOTICES. The authorised List of Mails issued in connection with this paper is the one published twice each day in our Extra, which is corrected to a much later hour than that given below. The Postal Guide-for 1896, revised to date

P. XIX. This is the only authorised complete Summary of Postal information published in Hongkong. PEAR DELIVERY closes at Post Office an 11.30 a.m. and 3 p.m. or in Letter Boxes in th Cars by 12 and 3.30 o'clock Trams. Lette

A MAIL WILL CLOSE. For Singapore.—Per Martha, to-day, the 6th nst., at 9.30 A.M. For Singapore -- Per Patroclus, to-day, the 6th instant. at 11.30 A.M. For Amoy, and Manila .- Per Yuensang, today, the 6th inst, at 3.30 P.M. For Nagasaki, Kobe and Yokohama -- Per Verona, to-day, the 6th inst., at 5.00 P.M. For Swatow and Amoy.—Per Sishan, tomorrow, the 7th inst., at 10.00 A.M. For Tientsin.—Per Kweiyang, to-morrow, the

7th inst, at 2.30 P.M. For Singapore.—Por Hertha, to morrow the 7th instant, at 4.30 P.M. For Swatow, Singapore and Bangkok.-Per Keong Wai, to morrow, the 7th inst., at 5.00 For Shanghai, and Moji.—Per Oceana, tomorrow, the 7th instant, at 5.00 P.M. For Kobe,-Per Fausang on Friday, the 8th instant, at 3.30 P.M.

Or.—Per Mogul, on Tuesday, the 12th inst. For Shanghai, Moji, Kobe, Yokohama, Victoria, B.C., and Tacoma, Wn.-Per Columbia. on Tuesday, the 19th instant, at 11.30 A.M. MAILS BY THE BRITISH PACKET The British Contract Packet Mirzapore, will be despatched on THURSDAY, the 7th inst. with Malls for the United Kingdom, Europe

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Straits Settlements, Netherlands India, Burmah, Caylon, Aden, Ervet, Malta, and Gibraltar. [1581 | 8.00 A.M.—Posting of Prices Current and Cironlars ceases. 10.00 A.M.—Registry ceases. 10,30 A.M.—Posting of newspapers, books, and patterns ceases. LATE LETTERS may be posted (from 11.10 A.M.) with 10 cents late fee up to 11.30 A.M.,

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The United States Mail Packet Contic will be desputched on SATURDAY, the 9th instant, with Mails for Shanghai, Japan and San Francisco, the United States, Canada, Honolulu, Peru, &c., which will be closed as | follows:--

10.00 A.M. Registry coases. 11.00 A.M. Post Office closes, but Correspondence may be posted on board the Packet with Late Fee of 10 cents extra Postage until the time of departure.

MAILS BY THE GERMAN PACKET. The German Contract Packet Preuiss CANVAS | will be despatched on TUESDAY, the 12b instant with Mails for the United Kinge Europe and countries beyond, via Brind's to the Straits Settlements, Batavia, Burmah, Corlon, India, Aden, Egypt, Malta, &c., &c. Registry ceases at 7.30 A.M. The mail closes at 8.00 A.M. Late letters from

8.10 to 8.30 a.m. with 10 cents extra postage. MAILS BY THE FRENCH PACKET. The French Contract Packet Yarra will be despatched on WEDNESDAY, the 13th instant, with Mails to the United Kingdom. Europe, and places beyond, via Marseilles. to Saigon, Straits Settlements, Batavia, Burmah, Ceylon. Madras, the Australasian Colonies, Aden, Natal and the Cape, Egypt, Malta, and Gibraltar. 8.00 A.M. - Posting of Prices Current and Cir-

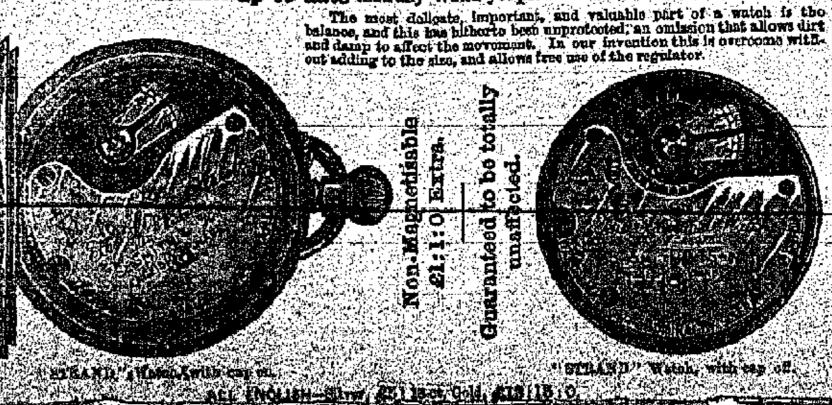
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F. G. FIGO. Acting Director. Hongkong Observatory, 5th October, 1897. Mesers. Falconer & Co.'s Breveres, 5th Oct. Barometer 9 a.m. 29.86 Therm. 24.m. (Wesbuilb) 14 Barometer I P.M. .. 29 81 Therm. I rate (Wet bulb) 75 Barometer 4 P.M. 29.77 Therm, 4 P.M. (Wee build) 7 Thermom. 9 A.M., 81 Them. Maximum 31. Thermon, I P.M., 81 Therm Minimum (com-Thermom. 4 P.M....78 Bight !! HUNGKONG TIDE TABLE.

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